02-01-01

1

FORM PTO-1082

EXPRESS MAIL LABEL NO.: EL640512724US PATENT

Attorney Docket No.: 409475-11

Date: January 31, 2001



BOX PATENT APPLICATION
ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Inventors: BRIAN MARK SHUSTER and GARY STEPHEN SHUSTER

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CONDUCTING DOMAIN NAME SERVICE

APPLICANTS CLAIM SMALL ENTITY STATUS. SEE 37 CFR 1.27.

X Declaration a X Form PTO-15 A certified copfollow. X An associate Information D Preliminary A	wing (X) form ond Petition. 595 and an ascopy of from from from from from from from f	signment of the invented which priority is	ention to <u>IDEAFLO</u> claimed in the subj	ect case pursuan		35 U.S.C. 119	Will
FOR:	NO. FILED	NO. EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY RATE	SMALL ENTITY FEE		OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY RATE	OTHER THA SMALL ENT FEE
BASIC FEE TOTAL CLAIMS INDEP CLAIMS MULTIPLE DEP CLAIMS PRESENTED		20= -0- 3= -0-	X 9 X 40 X+ 135 TOTAL:	\$355.00 \$-0- \$-0- \$-0- \$355.00	OR OR OR OR	X 18 X 80 + 270 TOTAL:	\$710.00 \$-0- \$-0- \$-0- \$

_Please charge my Deposit Account No. 50-0639 the amount of XX. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

X A check in the amount of \$355.00 to cover the filing fee is enclosed.

X A check in the amount of \$40.00 to cover the Assignment Recordal Fee is enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associate with this

communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0639. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

X Any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16.

X Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees during the pendency of this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0639. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Any patent application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.17.

The issue fee set in 37CFR 1.18 at or before mailing of the Notice of Allowance, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.31(b).

Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation or extra claims.

Respectfully submitted,

Brian M. Berliner

Registration No. 34,549

O'MELVENY & MYERS LLP 400 So. Hope Street Los Angeles, CA 90071-2899 (213) 430-6000

PATENT

Docket No.: 409475-11

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: BRIAN MARK SHUSTER and GARY STEPHEN SHUSTER

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CONDUCTING DOMAIN NAME SERVICE

j1011 U.S. PTO 09/773298

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

BOX PATENT APPLICATION Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

"EXPRESS MAIL" Mailing Label No.: EL640512724US

Date of Deposit: January 31, 2001

I hereby certify that an application for patent, including:

13 pages of Specification (which includes 19 claims and a one-page Abstract); Six Sheets of formal Drawings; an executed Declaration and Petition; an executed Power of Attorney, a General Authorization/Request to Petition for Extensions of Time; a check in the amount of \$355.00 to cover the filing fee; an executed Assignment document and Form PTO-1595, including a check in the amount of \$40.00 to cover the assignment recordation fee; a Transmittal Letter (Form PTO 1082); and Return Postcard are being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Box Patent Application, Washington, D.C. 20231.

Date of Deposit:

January 31, 2001

Express Mail: EL640512724US PATENT

409475-11

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Brian Mark Shuster	Art Unit:
and Gary Stephen Shuster	
Serial No.	Examiner:
Filing Date:	
For: Method And Apparatus For Conducting Domain Name Service	

GENERAL AUTHORIZATION/REQUEST TO PETITION FOR EXTENSIONS OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

⊕Dear Sir:

With reference to the subject application, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicants hereby authorize and request the Commissioner to treat any correspondence requiring a petition for extension of time as containing such a request therefor for the appropriate length of time. This general authorization is effective during the pendency of this application, including any division or continuing application therefrom.

Where no check is received by the Commissioner, you are hereby authorized to charge payment of the requisite petition fees, or charge any additional fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 50-0639. A duplicate copy of this general authorization is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: January 31, 2001

Brian M. Berliner

Attorney for Applicants Registration No. 34,549

O'MELVENY & MYERS LLP

400 So. Hope Street

Los Angeles, CA 90071-2899 Telephone: (213) 430-6000

Express Mail: EL640512724US

PATENT 409475-11

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Brian Mark Shuster	Art Unit:
and Gary Stephen Shuster	
Serial No.	Examiner:
Filing Date:	
For: Method And Apparatus For Conducting Domain Name Service	

GENERAL AUTHORIZATION/REQUEST TO PETITION FOR EXTENSIONS OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

ų]

With reference to the subject application, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicants hereby authorize and request the Commissioner to treat any correspondence requiring a petition for extension of time as containing such a request therefor for the appropriate length of time. This general authorization is effective during the pendency of this application, including any division or continuing application therefrom.

Where no check is received by the Commissioner, you are hereby authorized to charge payment of the requisite petition fees, or charge any additional fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 50-0639. A duplicate copy of this general authorization is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted.

Date: January 31, 2001

Brian M. Berliner

Attorney for Applicants Registration No. 34,549

O'MELVENY & MYERS LLP

400 So. Hope Street Los Angeles, CA 90071-2899

Telephone: (213) 430-6000

EXPRESS MAIL LABEL NO.: EL640512724US

PATENT

Attorney Docket No.: 409475-11 Date: January 31, 2001

BOX PATENT APPLICATION ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

æ

ļ,i

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Inventors: BRIAN MARK SHUSTER and GARY STEPHEN SHUSTER

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CONDUCTING DOMAIN NAME SERVICE

APPLICANTS CLAIM SMALL ENTITY STATUS. SEE 37 CFR 1.27.

Enclosed are:
13 Pages of Specification
6 Sheets of drawing (X formal informal)
X_ Declaration and Petition Will follow.
X_ Form PTO-1595 and an assignment of the invention to <u>IDEAFLOOD, INC.</u> Will follow.
A certified copy of from which priority is claimed in the subject case pursuant to Rule 55b and 35 U.S.C. 119 Will
follow.
X_ An associate Power of Attorney
Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO 1449 and prior art reference(s).
Preliminary Amendment.
X_General Authorization/Request to Petition for Extension of Time.
X_Postcard

n Hinn Minn	FOR: NO. FILED			NO. EXTRA SMALL ENTITY RATE		SMALL ENTITY FEE		OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY RATE	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY FEE
South Bard Short War	BASIC FEE TOTAL CLAIMS INDEP CLAIMS MULTIPLE DEP CLAIMS PRESENTED		20= 3=	-0- -0-	X 9 X 40 X+ 135 TOTAL:	\$355.00 \$-0- \$-0- \$-0- \$355.00	OR OR OR OR	X 18 X 80 + 270 TOTAL:	\$710.00 \$-0- \$-0- \$-0- \$

_Please charge my Deposit Account No. 50-0639 the amount of XX. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

X A check in the amount of \$355.00 to cover the filing fee is enclosed.

X A check in the amount of \$40.00 to cover the Assignment Recordal Fee is enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associate with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0639. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. X Any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16.

X Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

_ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees during the pendency of this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0639. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Any patent application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.17.

_The issue fee set in 37CFR 1.18 at or before mailing of the Notice of Allowance, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.31(b).

Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation or extra claims.

Respectfully eulemitted,

Brian M. Berliner

Registration No. 34,549

O'MELVENY & MYERS LLP 400 So. Hope Street Los Angeles, CA 90071-2899 (213) 430-6000